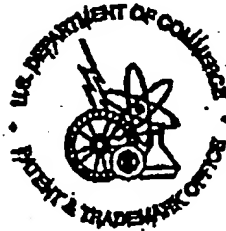


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WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE


Application 08/444,788 is being withdrawn from issue after payment of the issue fee due to unpatentability of one or more claims. See 37 CFR 1.313(b)(3).

The above-identified applications are hereby withdrawn from issue.

The issue fee is refundable upon written request. If, however, the applications are again found allowable, the issue fee can be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due upon written request. This request and any balance due must be received on or before the due date noted in the new Notice of Allowance in order to prevent abandonment of the application.

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